

# PIKE COUNTY

#### KENTUCKY POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION PROFILE 2008-10



General Population Data			
•	County	Ку	US
Total population	68,736	4,041,769	281,421,906
Median household income	\$23,930	\$33,672	\$41,994
Per capita income	\$14,005	\$18,093	\$21,587
Living in poverty	23.4 %	15.8 %	12.4 %
Eligible for Medicaid	24.4 %	17.6 %	na
Without medical insurance	15.0 %	13.3 %	14.2 %
Registered voters who voted in 2004 general election	56.9 %	64.7 %	70.9 %
Unemployment rate	6.0 %	5.7 %	4.6 %

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<b>g</b>	County	Ку	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	38.2 %	25.9 %	19.6 %
High school diploma or equivalent	34.3 %	33.6 %	28.6 %
Some college but no degree	14.1 %	18.5 %	21.0 %
Associate's degree	3.4 %	4.9 %	6.3 %
Bachelor's degree or higher	9.9 %	17.1 %	24.4 %

# **Educational Pipeline**

High school graduates in 2006	651
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In-state college-going rate for 2006 high school graduates	58.2 %
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments in 2006-07	2,636
GEDs awarded in 2006-07	79
Students entering postsecondary education in summer or fall 2006	575
Students earning an associate's degree in 2006-07	108
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2006-07	211
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics in 2006-07	61
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2006-07	79
Students enrolled in distance learning college courses in fall 2006	600
Students enrolled in Kentucky Virtual Campus courses in fall 2006	380
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2006	38.8 %
Number of additional bachelor's degree holders needed in this county to match the national average	6,682

### **College Readiness**

	County	Ку
Average ACT score	20.5	20.6
% entering college with developmental needs in one or more subjects	52.3 %	45.9 %
% entering college with developmental needs in mathematics	44.1 %	35.4 %
% entering college with developmental needs in English	35.7 %	28.6 %

#### **Employment by Sector**

	County	Ку
Agriculture, mining, & other natural resources	4,285	28,251
Manufacturing & construction	1,367	346,324
Retail, wholesale, transportation, & utilities	5,618	373,216
Finance, professional, & business services	2,945	258,647
Health & educational services	3,789	215,834
Government & public education	3,672	293,968
Leisure, hospitality, & other services	2,085	209,629

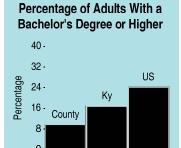
#### **Undergraduates & Alumni**

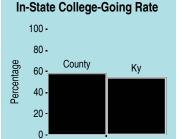
	Enrollment	Alumni
University of Kentucky	173	1,300
University of Louisville	26	90
Eastern Kentucky University	133	834
Kentucky State University	3	2
Morehead State University	313	1,169
Murray State University	1	5
Northern Kentucky University	4	58
Western Kentucky University	4	10
KCTCS	1,593	1,639
Independent colleges & universities	598	4,363
Total from this county	2,848	9,470

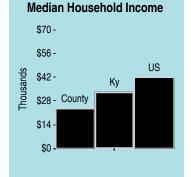
# Financial Aid to Students From This County

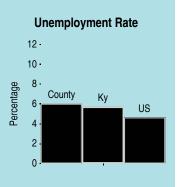
	Dollars	Awards
Federal Pell awards	\$4,117,904	1,479
Federal loans	\$8,341,605	981
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$1,474,209	1,027
Kentucky need-based grants	\$2,366,931	832

## KEY FACTS









Sources: US Census 2000, US Department of Education, Kentucky Department of Education, Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, Kentucky Office of Employment and Training, ACT, Inc, Kentucky State Board of Elections, Dave Leip's Atlas of U.S. Presidential Elections, US Census Small Area Health Insurance Estimates Program, Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services, ConnectKentucky, Kentucky Adult Education, and the Council on Postsecondary Education. Complete descriptions of sources and methodologies may be found in the technical notes at the end of the 2008-10 County Profiles or through the Kentucky Postsecondary Education Data Portal at the Web address below.



